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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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In re :  
VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION. : M.D.L. No. 1285  
Misc. No. 99-197 (TFH)

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This Document Relates to: :  
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GREENE v. F. HOFFMAN-LA ROCHE : D.D.C. No.99 Civ. 3283 (TFH)  
LTD. et al. : (Transferred from E.D. Tenn.)  
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BASIC DRUGS, INC. v. BASF : D.D.C. No. 00 Civ. 204 (TFH)  
AKTIENGESELLESCHAFT et al. : (Transferred from S.D. Ohio)  
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WATKINS v. F. HOFFMAN-LAROCHE : D.D.C. No. 00 Civ. 223 (TFH)  
LTD. et al. : (Transferred from N.D. Ala.)  
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**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER  
ON THE BRIEFING OF MOTIONS TO DISMISS  
THE REMOVED-AND-TRANSFERRED ACTIONS**

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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, subject to the approval of the Court, that the plaintiff in each of these actions these actions removed from state court and transferred to this Court by order of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation may have until June 9, 2000 to serve separate or consolidated responses to such motions to dismiss as have been served by April 7, 2000, and that any moving defendant may have until July 14, 2000 to serve

reply papers.

Dated: April 13, 2000

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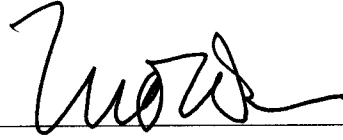
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(solely for the purposes of this stipulation)  
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three actions

SO ORDERED, April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2000:



Hon. THOMAS F. HOGAN

United States District Judge